

Assassination Records Review Board

Final Determination Notification

AGENCY : CIA
RECORD NUMBER : 104-10015-10003
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January 18, 1996

Status of Document: Postponed in Part

Number of releases of previously postponed information: 3

Reason for Board Action: The Review Board's decision was premised on several factors including: (a) the significant historical interest in the document in question; (b) the absence of evidence that the release of the information would cause harm to the United States or to any individual.

Number of Postponements: 1

Postponement # 1 (Page 2):

Reason for Board Action: The text is redacted because it reveals the identity of an intelligence agent that properly may be withheld under Section 6(1)(A) of the JFK Act. The Board is awaiting additional evidence from the CIA, at which time it will reconsider the postponement.

Substitute Language: Crypt

Release Date: 12/2005

Board Review Completed: 12/13/95

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AGENCY INFORMATION

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DOCUMENT INFORMATION

ORIGINATOR : CIA
FROM : C/SR/CI, CIA
TO : WIGREN, MR., CIA
TITLE : NOTE CONCERNING EXISTENCE OF SOVIET INTELLIGENCE SCHOOL
IN MINSK.
DATE : 12/17/63
PAGES : 2
SUBJECTS : MINSK SCHOOL
INTELLIGENCE
SCHOOL

DOCUMENT TYPE : PAPER, TEXTUAL DOCUMENT
CLASSIFICATION : UNCLASSIFIED
RESTRICTIONS : 1B
CURRENT STATUS : RELEASED WITH DELETIONS
DATE OF LAST REVIEW : 12/01/93
OPENING CRITERIA :
COMMENTS : OSW1:V1 1993.12.01.16:50:24:560028: SOLE REPORT (DATED
1950) OF SPY SCHOOL IN MINSK IS ATTACHED.

[R] - ITEM IS RESTRICTED

TRANSMITTAL SLIP		DATE
TO: Mr. Wigren - re GPFLOOR		
ROOM NO.	BUILDING	
REMARKS:		
<p>1963</p> <p>Mr. Paul Chretien called me at 1420 hours on 17 December, presumably on the basis of some press query, asking "whether there is still a Soviet intelligence school in Minsk." I told him I'd never heard of one in the first place; had he? No, he hadn't. I then checked through Mary Kay Viering and got the following sole trace, which I passed to Chretien by phone, simply saying that there had been a report of one back in 1947, source reliability unknown, but that if -- as I suspected -- his query concerned "spy schools", then there are none anywhere. Spies are trained individually; schools are for staff personnel, here and in the USSR. I discussed fabrications of this sort, and he seemed to understand fully.</p>		
FROM: C/SR/CI		
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FORM NO. 241 1 FEB 55		
REPLACES FORM 36-8 WHICH MAY BE USED.		
☆ GPO : 1957-O-439445 (47)		

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Name : Unknown
Location : Minsk
Service : MVD ?? Training School
School Reported in : Existence in 1947
Type of Personnel Trained : Unknown
Curriculum : No details
Identification of Personnel: In 1947 one GRAINERT, fnu
Number of students : c 200
Source: TS 40288 (WELA 4060) report date 2 June 1950
From Jackbox, London
Source: Russian deserter (Foote Interrog.)

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